DISTRICT REPORTS.

- 8. Markets how supplied.
- 9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

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- 10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
- 11. Public health.
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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week. Current.

Prices of food grains—Rice ... 7 64 7 19 Quantity per rupee
Ragi ... 14 07 13 40 by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Paddy thrashing.

Probable outturn of harvests.--Ragi, yield 8 annas.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

- 8. Market well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being prepared for the cultivation of sugar cane in parts of the Anekal Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane, castor and paddy are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Closepet Sub-Taluk.

- Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—Paddy in parts of the Bangalore, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; yield from 4 to 8 annas, 8 annas, and from 4 to 12 annas, respectively. Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore and Devanhalli Taluks; yield from 6 to 10 annas, and from 6 to 12 annas, respectively, and avare in parts of the Bangalore and Devanhalli Taluks; yield 4 annas and from 4 to 12 annas, respectively.
- 10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
- 11. Except for the prevalence of plague throughout the district, public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

- 8. Market well supplied.
- 9. Standing crops:—Paddy, sugar cane and mulberry are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Malur and Sidlaghatta Taluks and sugar cane in the Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks.

Crops harrested and their probable outturn.—Sugar cane in almost all the taluks, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

- 10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
- 11. Except for plague in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks, public health is generally good.
- 12. Except for "Chappe roga" in the Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks, cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

TUMKUR.

- 8. Market well supplied.
- 9. State of standing crops is good in the Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and the Koratagere Taluk, and fair in the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. In the Sira Taluk, it is reported that the standing crops are withering.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and the Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

· Crops harvested.

In the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—Castor, cholam and Bengal gram.

In the Sira Taluk—Bengal gram.

In the Gubbi Taluk—Castor, cholum, Bengal gram, sugar cane, and coriander.

In the Tiptur Taluk, Castor, ragi, avare, togari, paddy and horse gram.

In the Pavagada Taluk-Horse gram and groundnuts.

In the Kunigal Taluk--Castor, sugar cane, ragi, avare, togari, paddy and horse gram.

In the Koratagere Sub-Taluk—Cholum, Bengal gram and paddy.

In the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk-Castor, Bengal gram and sugar cane.

- 10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.
- 11. Except for plague prevailing in parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks, public health is generally good. And it is reported that two persons died of cholera in Vaddarahalli, Maddagiri Taluk.
 - 12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

- 8. Market fairly well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk for kar grains.

State of standing crops is reported to be good.

Crops harvested ---

In parts of the Mysore Taluk—Paddy, avare and togari.

Do Chamrajnagar Taluk—Paddy, Bengal gram and ragi.

Do Hunsur Taluk—Paddy, avare and horse gam.

Do Yèdatore Taluk—Avare, togari and Bengal gram.

Do Heggaddevankote Taluk-Paddy, avare and horse gram.

Do Gundlupet Taluk—Avare.
Do Nanjangud Taluk—Ragi.

Do T.-Narsipur Taluk—Paddy, togari and sugar cane.

Do Mandya Taluk—Bengal gram.

Do Nagamangala Taluk Bengal gram and horse gram.

Do Seringapatam Taluk—Paddy, ragi, horse gram and sugar cane.

Outturn of crops.—Paddy, togari and avare in parts of the Mysore Taluk, yield of each from 8 to 16 annas; ragi in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk, yield 8 annas; and ragi, paddy and horse gram in parts of the Malvalli Taluk, yield 6 annas, 10 annas and 12 annas, respectively.

- 10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.
- II. Except for plague in parts of almost all the taluks and small-pox in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk, public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Agricultural operations.—Raiyats are engaged in their threshing floors; and nurseries of kode paddy are being formed in the Manjarabad Taluk.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition:—

In the Hassan Taluk-Kar paddy, sugar cane and Bengal gram.

In the Arkalgud Taluk—Avare, menthiya, and horse gram.

In the Belur Taluk—Sugar cane and Bengal gram.

In the Channarayapatna Taluk—Sugar cane.

In the Arsikere Taluk—Sugar cane, cholum, and Bengal gram.

In the Hole-Narsipur Taluk—Sugar cane and castor.

In the Alur Sub-Taluk—Avare and sugar cane.

- 10 Prospects of the season are generally good.
- 11. Except for plague in parts of the Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks, public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

- 8. Market well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; and ploughing for sowing Vaisakhi paddy is going on in the Bharangi and Karur hoblis of the Sagar Taluk.
 - Standing crops.—Sugar cane in parts of the Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, paddy in the Nagar Taluk, areca-nut in parts of the Tirthahalli Taluk and Bengal gram in parts of the Shikarpur Taluk are in good condition.
 - Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab and Sagar Taluks; paddy in parts of the Shimoga, Sorab and Sagar Taluks; areca-nut in parts of the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and wheat, cotton and Bengal gram in parts of the Honnali Taluk, are being harvested.
 - 10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.
- 11. Except for plague in certain villages of the Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks, public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR:

- 8. Market well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Ploughing of lands and transplanting of kode paddy are going on in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk.
 - Standing crops, such as paddy, sugar cane, Bengal gram, horse gram, avare, togari, onions, garlic, coriander, fenugreek, gingelly, khurasani and cotton are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their yield .-

- In Chikmagalur—Coffee, sugar cane, coriander, castor, wheat, onions, garlic, avare, horse gram, yield from 8 to 12 annas.
- In Kadur—Paddỳ, yield 10 annas and Bengal gram, sugar cane, avare, coriander and chillies, yield from 8 to 12 annas.
- In Koppa—Paddy, sugar cane, areca and coffee.
- In Sringeri-Sugar cane.
- 10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.
- 11. Except for plague in certain villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks and small-pox in Chikmagalur town and in a few villages of the Chikmagalur Taluks, public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

- 8. Market well supplied.
- 9. Standing crops, such as Bengal gram, wheat, sugar cane, paddy, cotton, castor, horse gram, ragi, togari, avare, jola and chillies are reported to be in good condition.

· Crops sown.—Paddy in the Challakere Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.

- Cotton in the Chitaldrug and Hosdurga Taluks, yield from 2 to 6 annas; wheat and jola in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield from 2 to 6 annas, Bengal gram in the Chitaldrug, Holalkere and Davangere Taluks, yield from 2 to 6 annas, castor in the Hiriyur Taluk, yield 8 annas, togari and jola in the Holalkere Taluk, yield from 4 to 8 annas and chillies in the Hosdurga Taluk, yield 4 annas.
- 10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.
- 11. Public health is generally good.
- 12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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